

[PRICE \$2½ PER MONTH]

Amusem

GREAT MUSICAL FESTIV
To-Night, the 16th May, 1885
BY MONSIEUR DUMAS
With the Assistance of
MADAME XATU RO
First Singers of the provincial Theatres
Monsieur Bordeaux and Lyons
Madame De Lagère, Minnieur Thibot et
Monsieur Margot,
First Tenor and First Soprano of the
Opera will assist, and also the several
Orchestra (Knox and Officers) the full band
9th Regiment.
The Doors will open at half past seven
performances will commence at half past
precisely.
Prices of Admission
Boxes to be obtained at the Theatre
Dress Circle,
Tickets can be obtained at Mr. Silvester's
maker.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
1335 Hongkong, 13th May, 1885.

Intimations.

FOR MANILA DIR. CT.
"TUE 4" Spanish Ship.
"IGNACIO"
Agent, Master, will be Dispatched on a
SATURDAY, next the 20th instant
For Freight or Passage apply to
Messrs. Guthrie & Co.,
19 1209 Hongkong, 16th May, 1885.

NOR SAN FRANCISCO
"TUE 4" New Hamburg, Clipper Ship
"MALVINE SCRUTT"
Agent, Master, will leave manitide day
For Freight or Passage apply to
Messrs. Guthrie & Co.,
19 1209 Hongkong, 16th May, 1885

A Young Man conversant with French
be glad to find on employment
Keeper Correspondent for a few hours dai
A moderate remuneration would be a
Address S. Office of this Pa
of 1386 Hongkong, 16th May, 1885.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS & SHIP MAS.
JOHN PATERSON,
Late with Messrs. LOAN & Co.
House, and Ship Plumber, Gas Fitter
Zinc Worker.

Im 1150 Hongkong, 15th April, 1984

成 **ONN SING,**
(From Canton).
GOLD AND SILVER SMITH.
Dealer in Ivory and Lacquered
Scales, &c., Cat and Engraved.

港 No. 99, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG
1333 Im 10,5.85.

HAMBURG MARQUE "MATHIAS SCHULZ"
crew of the said vessel.
U. A. ME
1w 1204 Hongkong, 14th May, 1865.
FRENCH & ENGLISH
RESTAURANT.
Private Board & Lodging at moderate
9, LYNDHURST TERRACE,
HONGKONG.
6m 1375 Hongkong, 13th May, 1865.

NOTICE.
THE STEAMER
WHITE CLOUD
will be temporarily withdrawn from the
line, from this day to take the place on the
line of the Steamer "Plymouth Rock".
The latter vessel will be laid up for repairs to
her funnel.
When the Steamer "Plymouth Rock"
her regular trips on the Canton Line and
"White Cloud," will can between this and
taking the same days as heretofore.
RUSSELL,
11 1389 Hongkong, 13th May, 1855.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS.
THERE will be drills this week at
the present Buildings at 5.30 P.M. on
Wednesday, and Friday, the 15th, 17th &
18th Inst.
The Artillery Company will Parade in
Uniform and Forage caps, without side
saddles.
The Rifle Company in Summer Uniform
Cape and Rifle-Xc.
Members are Particularly requested to
attend these Drills in order that, should the
necessity be required to turn out on the Queen's Birth-
day, they may make a creditable appearance.
N.B.—After the Queen's Birthday
will cease for the Summer.
By Order, H. J. H. TEIP,
Capt. and
Adj. Gen.
at 12393, Hongkong, 15th May, 1935.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES

"TRADING" FROM LONDON

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above are requested to send in their Bills to the undersigned for Counter-signature immediately delivery.

Those having the option of delivery at sea are requested to state at once at what time they intend receiving their goods.

GILMAN

1m 1895. Hongkong, 16th April, 1895.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo for French B. de Grande H. Boue, ex. Saigun, are requested to send their Bills to the undersigned for the undersignature to the above named.

LANDSTEIN

at 1189. Hongkong, 19th April, 1895.

"CONCHITA" from MANILA.
 CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the said
 requested to send in their Bills
 for Counter-signature and take immediate
 of their Goods.
 E. GAR
 at 1221 Hongkong, 22nd April, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE following Cases are still unola
 are lying in the Messageries Tri
 Parcel Room at the Risk of the Consign
 are requested to take immediate deliv
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 B (in diamond). Case B
 J L & Co. No. 11. Case G
 Pascale Custodeth. Case D
 at 1349 Hongkong, 9th May, 1865.

TS PILLS AND
Pills

(J. Collis Brown's).
 s Fluid Magnesia.
 s Liver Oil.
 s Seditive Powders.
 s Somatic Powder.
 s (Perry Davis's).
 s Cough Lozenges.
 s Kalydor.
 s Macassar Oil.
 s Odoato.
 s Perfumery.
 Cologne, (J. Hano Maria Farina's).

Pomades, Brushes, and other articles
do. do. do.
ALFRED WRIGHT,
FAMILY AND DISPENSING CHEMIST,
Adham Street, opposite the Magistrate's
Horse-shed, 8th May, 1883.

SUMMER NOVELTIES.
PEACOCK has pleasure in announcing
the arrival of a select Stock suitable for
the season, consisting of

DRESSES
 Silk Dresses, \$2 to \$30 per Dress.
 Colored Gowns, 35c. to 50c. per yard.
 Brocaded, \$5 to \$12 per Dress.
 Printed Mantles, 25c. to 50c. per yard.
 do. 10c. to 25c. per yard.

SHAWLS AND MANTLES.
 Large Silk Mantles, \$1 to \$25.
 Grenadine Mantles, \$3 to \$10.
 Mohair and Llama do. \$1 to \$10.
 Towels and Mantles, \$5 to \$30.

MILINERY.

Children's and Ladies' Trimmings
Straw, Tuscan and Leghorn Hats,
Facts, and Drab Ribs Straw Outrimmed
Feathers, Bibbons, and Head Dresses,
LACE.
Sail-bordered Muslin Garibold, Lace &
Muslin Sets, Muslin Trimmings, Flap-
Incrustions, Real Valenciennes, Hon-
oured Laces and Insertions Black and
and Laces, Embroidered French Cam-
Han Therc, etc.

CLOVES AND HOSIERY

O'Jores and Black Tertia Silk and
 Gloves, White Doe and Lisle Thread
 quality Silk, Lisle Thread and Cotton
 in Children's and Ladies' sizes.
 HOUSEHOLD LENSES and
 lace Window Curtains \$3 to \$12 per
 yard. Indian Window Curtains \$4.00 \$15
 Worsted, Damasks and Chintzes.
 Cords and Laces.
 Cashmere and Linen Towels \$2.50 to \$6

and Long Cloth, Sheetings, all widths.
Dinner Damask, Dinner Napkins.
Damask Table Cloths from \$4 to 10 24
Inch India Long Cloths.
Embroidered Drawing Room Table
and Green Mosquito Nets.
and Jacquenet and Swiss Book Makers.
White Flannela Blouses to \$1 per yard.
and Wool, Merino and Sazony Gauze for
sew.

and Fancy Colored in great variety.
and Colored Blankets.
Summer Quilts and Bed Covers.
Accessories and Toilet Covers.
pile Hearth Rugs, \$2.50 to \$5 each.
Rugs Carpets Various.

THOS. PEACOCK.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE.
6 m.w.f. Hongkong, 5th April, 1885.

TO PAIR CANTON BUILT LONDON
HERRY, in good condition, suitable for
wish to go full Race Gigs.

at this Office.
38 Hongkong, 8th May, 1855.

Notices of Firms.

WM. OTTO PAULY, has this day been admitted a partner in our Firm which consists of Wm. KUPFER, GEORGE NEDER and WM. OTTO PAULY.

BEHRE & O
Saigon, 1st January, 1865.

On this day established ourselves at the
as Merchants and Commission Agents
the style and Firm of STRACHAN and
J. THOMAS.
Yokohama, 1st July, 1884.

Yokohama, 1st July, 1887.
have to-day authorized Mr. H. OHL
sign our Firm in China.
OXFORD & Co.
Shanghai, 20th April, 1888. if 29.1. 1268
COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.
interest and responsibility of Mr. A.
Kew, in our Firm ceased on the 31
and Mr. RICHARD DEACON, has be
d a partner.
JOHN. BURD & Co.

Hongkong, January, 1865.
I have this day established a branch
our firm at Tientsin.
E. & J. MEYER.
1,43m Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.
I have this day established ourselves
Business at this Port as Merchants and
Commission Agents, under the style of
of Ballance and Hallam.
T. FRED. BALLANCE.
J. B. HALLAM.
43m Hongkong, April 1, 1865.

IVE this day established myself at this P.
 ublic Tea Inspector and General
 sion Agent.
 EDWIN COBBETT
 31.3 13w Foonchow, March 25, 1865.
 E have this day established ourselves
 business at this port as General and Co-
 Agents, under the style and firm of Rux
 Lewis & Co.
 J. M. RAINBOW,
 G. LEWIS.
 10.4 1125 Saigon, 18: March, 1865.

HANS PERIK HANSEN is this day
 admitted a Partner in our Firm.
 HONGKONG, 1st July, 1854.
 W. C. VAN OORDT, has this day be-
 come a partner in our Firm.
 HONGKONG, 1st April 1855.
 J. W. H. ESCHERICH was admitted a Part-
 ner in our firm on 1st January last.
 SMITH, KENNEDY & CO.

1143 Hongkong, 15th April, 1885.
EDUARDE KESTERKEE, is authorised
to sign our Firm in China from this date.
G. SEWJEE & Co
Hongkong, 2nd January, 1885.
NOTICE.
DURING the absence of Mr. THOS. PEACOCK
from the Colony Mr. JOSEPH SEARLE
ROBERT FAWCETT, ATTORNEY are authorised
to sign our Firm for procurement.
THOS. PEACOCK
Victoria Exchange.

1148 Hongkong 15th April 1885.
RE. undersigned hereby notifies that he
has recently carried on his own business
under the name his connection with Mr. James (the
English name) from the 15th Feb.
his father shall leave the request that no
further shall be paid or about his signat
THO. HAM KIN.
77 and Commission Station, Veterinary
and Horse-Shoeing establishment, rear
of Murray Barracks.
992, H. K. 1148, 15th April 1885.

Have this day published myself, at this
as Public Tax Inspector and Gen-
eral Agent.

THOMAS THOMAS

10 Canton, 1st January 1865.

R. EDWARD PERITT, has this day be-
come a Partner in our Firm.

F. KASSER, DIACON, is authorized to
sign for per prouration.

DEACON & CO

10 Canton, 1st January 1865

NOTICE
 EDWARD C. RAY is admitted a
 partner in our firm from the 1st inst.
 RAY & C
 1340 Hongkong, 8th Mar. 1885



GOVERNMENT, LEGAL AND

CONSULAR NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTIFICATION.

In re ELSA STEVENSON, Deceased.

ALL Persons indebted to the estate of the late
ELSA STEVENSON are requested to pay
to the undersigned their respective Debts to the under-
signed, with as little delay as possible; and all
persons having claims against the estate are re-
quested to furnish their claims and particulars to
the undersigned before the 31st day of May, 1895.

J. W. TORREY
Administrator.

at 075 Hongkong, 24th March, 1895.

NOTICE

THE next CRIMINAL SESSIONS of the Supreme
Court will be held on **Thursday, the Eight-**
eenth day of May, A.D. 1895, at Ten o'clock in

By the Court,
N. B. MASSON,
acting Registrar.

1867

In re ALEXANDER J. HARLOW, deceased.
JOHN MACDONALD,
vs.
FRANCISCO XAVIER.

NOTICE is hereby given to the next of kin, and all other persons, to produce any Will or Certificate of the above named parties, which may be in their possession, before the Court of Probate, on Saturday, the Twentieth day of May, A.D. 1868; or, if none, that the next of kin consent to the probate of the foregoing Will, and to the refusal Letters of Administration, failing which the Letters of Administration will be granted to the next of kin of the above Court, or such other persons as the Court shall think fit.

By the Court,
N. B. MASSON,

1938 May 15 *Acting Registrar.*
NOTICE—All claims against the above
 Estate must be presented on or before the
 15th day of October, 1965, otherwise they will
 not be included in the Schemes of Division. All
 persons indebted to the said Estate are requested
 to make immediate payment to
 N. B. MASSON,
 154, 608 1959 *Official Administrator.*

Hotels.

**ASTOR HOUSE HOTEL,
 SHANGHAI.**

The oldest established in Shanghai, and the
 next to the Mail Steamers.

As a first-class family Hotel is unsurpassed in comprising every comfort and convenience. Standing detached to its own grounds, it is peculiarly healthy, and well in season. The appointments are spacious and elegant, fully equipped. The Table liberally supplied, and the cellars well stocked with the choicest wines and Spirits imported direct.

Contracts made for Board by the month, or year.

Horses and Carriages on Hire and hire.

Heavenly Cabs, open and close chairs, on Route attached to the Hotel

Baths always ready.

The Scooter Bridge is toll free to Boarders.

Texas Mountain

J. D. MAHON,
Proprietor.

N.B.—The Cuisine under the above direction
experienced French cooks.
Table d'hôte at 6 o'clock.—Charges 2/6.
Public Dining Room.—But Sippers supplied
if 1204 2/3 Shanghai, 2nd March, 1865.

**ORIENTAL HOTEL,
HONAN, CANTON.**

THE above establishment is opened with entire
new Furniture and fitting throughout, at
no pains or expense will be spared in the Bar
Billiard, Table d'hôte or any of the departments
to ensure the comfort of Visitors.
Terms moderate. Rooms with attendance on call.
of River Steamers to convey passengers
the House, free of charge.
Fine Wines and Liquors, guaranteed genuine
by the bottles or dozen.
I have also established myself as Auctioneer
and Commission Agent.

D. B. VINES
Proprietor

409 Hongkong, 14th December, 1895.

**QUEEN'S HOTEL,
NINGPO.**

THIS is the **HOTEL** situated immediately in front of Messrs. E. C. Kink & Co.'s mines and commanding an extensive view of shipping and Country around, is now open for Visitors coming to the Port with strict attention to comfort, and the Proprietor trusts by every effort to merit a large patronage.

No part of the services have been spared in fitting up this establishment and the best of Sino Japanese Liquors, will always be kept on hand. The Dining contains Public and Private Dining Rooms for the accommodation of the guests.

Coffee, Reading and Writing Saloon, Billiard Room, Bed Rooms, with Bath Rooms attached, and a large store room, accommodation to families or invalids, second to none in the east. The English Hamburg Papers, as well as the principal European Journals will arrive by mail. Boats can be chartered on the shortest route for parties desiring to visit the Continent, and the most complete outfit of goods can be procured. There is in connection with the Hotel, a spacious Bowling and Billiard Saloon.

GEO. PELLER
Manager.

274 Hongkong Street, November, 1864.

ROYAL HOTEL
MACAO.

THIS first class Family Hotel, situated on Praya Grande, and containing many of the best apartments, is confidently recommended for its accommodation, to invalids and travellers.

persons desiring a cool and healthy recreation
 Summer.
 11 Macao, 22nd April, 1884.

NOTICE.

M. K. BORBONE late Proprietor of the French and English Restaurant begs to inform the Public and his friends that he has taken over the Argus Hotel, in Peel Street, and that by his long experience in the above Business and attentive management he merits the appreciation of all who may patronize him.

Board and Lodging \$45.50
 Board only \$70.00
 517 Hongkong, 6th January, 1886.

Intimations.

THESE intimations having received permission

From the Manager of the Hongkong
China Gas Company Limited, to fix up instal-
ments for the Supply of Gas, beg to inform
the community that he is prepared to furnish
thermos for, and execute the work men-
tioned above.

For particulars apply to
JAMES LUCKY
Managing Engineer
of 747, Hongkong, 11th February, 1905.

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PHOTOGRAPHER.
Queen's Road, No. 55, Opposite the
ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
Takes Portraits, Groups, &c, in best style,
keeps constantly on hand the latest of the
Hong Kong, Canton, Hsianan and other Parts of C.
And,
Silks, Crapes, Ivory-ware, Lacquer-
ware, &c.

THE SHAREHOLDERS of the Union
Company of Hongkong and Shanghai
hereby request their diligent
attention to the payment of the first call on
Common Stock Corporation.

J. B. ENDICOTT
Secretary

at 1321 Hongkong, 6th May, 1885.

LIN-CHONG-ING.
No. 521.
QUEEN'S ROAD.
HONGKONG.

Making an Repaired all kinds of
Iron and Copper Vases
if Hongkong, 21st April, 1884.

DECLINED PER LAST MAIL, STEAD

A Fine collection of ENGRAVINGS,
Photographs, and Carte de Visite, at
the celebrated House of Goupil & Co, in L
and Paris.

CHAS. J. GAUPP &
ONE of Two Gentlemen may be accommo
In a private establishment a short di
fr in the Queen's Road, where a view
labour can be obtained.

Apply to the Office of this Paper,
1102-H Hongkong, 10th April, 1886.

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